

## HE IS AFTER THE LYNCHERS.

### SENATOR INTRODUCES A RESOLUTION CALLING UPON A COMMITTEE TO GATHER FACTS AND REPORT.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—Soon after the Senate convened today Mr. Gallinger of New Hampshire offered a resolution providing that the Judiciary Committee of the Senate should make an investigation into the subject of lynchings in the United States, with the view of ascertaining if there is any remedy for them.

Mr. Gallinger said he introduced the resolution in full view of the fact that he might be charged with precipitating a sectional controversy, but nothing was further from his thoughts.

He said lynchings were not confined to the South. Horrible cases had occurred in the North and white men as well as blacks had been the victims. During the past ten years 2,658 lynchings had occurred in the United States. If the strong arm of the law could prevent such occurrences he deemed it wise to do so.

He read the Associated Press account of the negro burning in Texas a few days ago. He said history did not furnish a more dreadful instance of mob wrath and Fox's Book of Martyrs was true in comparison. The whole wretched business, he said, was a disgrace to American manhood, in the light of which the alleged atrocities in the Philippines paled into insignificance.

The Spanish Inquisition did not furnish a case exceeding that one in inhumanity.

He apprehended that it would be said that the Federal Government was powerless and that the Federal Government was powerless and that the States had exclusive jurisdiction.

If so the American people desired to know it.

## PRESBYTERIANS HAVE ENDED THEIR BUSINESS.

### Los Angeles Will Be the Next Place of Meeting.

NEW YORK, May 26.—The Presbyterian General Assembly today closed Los Angeles as the place of next meeting. The General Assembly voted adversely on an overture from the Presbytery of Los Angeles requesting that ministers coming from the South Presbyterian Church be honorably retired with the same privileges as if they had served at large with the church under the General Assembly. The matter came before the Assembly in a report from the Committee on Ministerial Alliance. The Rev. W. S. Young, D. D., pastor of the Emmanuel Presbyterian Church of Los Angeles, advised that the Assembly act favorably on the overture. In the West, he said, there were many ministers who had come from the Southern branch and favorable action by the Assembly would help to bring the two churches together.

The Rev. Dr. Thomas Barry of Wilkes-Barre, Pennsylvania, chairman of the committee, took the opposite view. He said it would open the door for ministers of other denominations to come to the Presbyterian Church and claim the same privileges as the ministers who had served the General Assembly all their lives.

Rev. Dr. B. L. Agnew of Philadelphia spoke in the same vein. He said the result of granting the demand of the Presbytery of Los Angeles would be that many of the retired ministers who had always been with the Northern Presbyterian Church would have their already scant allowance cut down.

"When the Civil War was closed," he said, "there would have been willing to vote for the union of the two churches. But I am utterly opposed to holding out any thought of consideration to bring them over. They will have the same privileges as our members if they come over to the principles."

The Rev. Dr. James D. McVain of Baltimore said it would be unfortunate if the overture did not receive favorable action.

There is no difference with us between the church North or South," he said.

When the question of selecting a meeting place was taken up, the Rev. Dr. H. C. Martin, former moderator, made a minute address in favor of Los Angeles. He said Los Angeles had waited twenty years to let the Assembly and should have it next year.

The Rev. Dr. Richard S. Holmes pointed out that there was a great difference between the influence for Cleveland and Los Angeles.

"If you want to burden the membership for such a difference in mileage," he said, "let the money go to pay off the home mission debt. We have no right to do anything to favor a big corporation or railroad."

The Presbyterian General Assembly has adjourned sine die.

## SENATORS TALK OF PHILIPPINES.

### MR. PATTERSON IS AGAINST THE BILL SAYS FORAKER HAS NOT BEEN FRANK AND CANDID.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—(Senate)—The Philippine bill was then taken up and Mr. Patterson of Colorado made a speech in opposition to it. Mr. Patterson referred to the editorial from the Denver News, which Mr. Foraker had read in the course of his speech. These articles strongly urged the retention of the Philippine Islands and advocated the Government's policy as to the islands.

Mr. Patterson said he was responsible for the utterances of the Denver News then and now.

Just prior to the publication of the first treaty he had changed his opinion, and since that time had advocated strenuously the independence of the Philippine people. Mr. Patterson declared that after the capture of Manila, a censored press, deliberately guided by the powers in Washington, had misrepresented the situation in the Philippine Islands.

He read some extracts from editorials in the Denver News, since the time referred to, declaring that the most "sublimely grand and national deed" which the United States could perform would be to extend independence to the Filipino.

He urged that Mr. Foraker had not been frank and candid in his quotations from the Denver News.

Mr. Patterson resented the imputation of a lack of faithfulness in Los Angeles. Mr. Patterson insisted that Mr. Foraker had omitted editorials which presented the question in its true light. These he now applied to the bill he had hoped for the Philippine independence.

Referring to the opening of hostilities between the Americans and Filipinos, Mr. Patterson said that completely dictating the tenor of news sent from the islands to the United States by the Associated Press and other sources. He intimated that it was the purpose to conceal the facts regarding the situation.

## LOS ANGELES BOY MISSING.

### CHOIR SINGER CANNOT BE FOUND BY HIS FRIENDS IN SOUTH.

LOS ANGELES, May 26.—Charlie Smead, a 15-year-old choir boy of St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral, has been missing for three weeks and anxious search is being made for him by his parents.

The only clue to his whereabouts is in his statement, made the day before he disappeared, that a captain of a ship had offered to give him a free trip.

It is believed that the boy has been lured away to sea, and sooner or later will be heard from at some one of the coast ports.

The lost boy's father is Charles D. Smead, chief clerk at the Hollenbeck Hotel.

## AN ATTORNEY IS MISSING.

### A. D. HINCKLEY CANNOT BE LOCATED BY HIS FRIENDS.

LOS ANGELES, May 26.—The wife and relatives of A. D. Hinckley, an attorney, whose residence is at 1925 Loveland street, have applied to the police to locate him.

Hinckley has been practicing in Los Angeles for a number of years and is well known. About ten days ago he left for San Francisco. Upon his arrival there, he wrote to Mrs. Hinckley that he was going farther north in the State to locate a mine, but failed to inform his family where this mine is located.

Since then nothing more has been heard from him.

## WESTERN MINERS ARE IN SESSION.

### DELEGATES IN THE CONVENTION DISCUSS THE LABOR PROBLEM.

### THEY WILL FORM POLITICAL PARTIES.

DENVER, Colo., May 26.—The annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners and the Western Labor Union assembled in this city today. There are 29 delegates in attendance, representing over 100,000 workers in the Western States and British Columbia.

The two organizations work in harmony but the convention met apart both in secret session. President Edward Boyce presided today over the Miners and President Daniel McDonald over the Western Labor Union. The only business transacted today was the appointment of credentials committees. A mass meeting will be held tonight at which Eugene V. Debs is expected to outline his program for the participation of labor unions in politics. The leaders of the Western Federation and the Western Labor Union have declared for Socialism and propose to form political parties in all the Western States, composed of members of organized labor.

This matter is the most important to be considered by the conventions. Thomas J. Kidd, third vice-president and Frank Harrison, secretary of the American Federation of Labor, are the only two delegates to the purpose of securing a hearing before the two conventions and endeavoring to adjust the conflicts that have occurred between the Western organizations and the American Federation.

## PRESIDENT WILL SIGN THE BILL

### INFORMS THE SENATORS THAT HE IS SATISFIED WITH APPROPRIATION

### APPOINTMENTS BY THE PRESIDENT.

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The President today nominated Robert S. McCormick of Illinois to be Ambassador to Austria-Hungary.

The President also sent the following nominations to the Senate:

Chandler Hale, Maine, Secretary of the Embassy at Vienna.

George B. River, New Jersey, second secretary of Embassy at Vienna.

Charles Richardson of Massachusetts, Secretary of Embassy at Berlin.

George A. McManie, receiver of public money, Stockton, Cal.

Assistant Surgeon, Marine Hospital Reserve, to be passed assistant surgeon.

Samuel L. Grubb, New York; John McMillen, Maryland.

## REFERS TO THE BRITISH MINISTER

WASHINGTON, May 26.—The death of the British Ambassador was today referred to in the opening invocation of the chaplain of the House, Rev. Dr. Couden, who asked Divine consolation for the stricken family of the dead diplomatist.

"We have long seen faithfully and efficiently served his country among us and won the esteem and respect of our people by his generous and courteous methods, socially and officially."

The conference report on the agricultural bill was agreed to.

## REDDING YOUTH SHOOT TO KILL

REDDING, Cal., May 26.—William Martin, a Redding youth, fired five shots without effect last night at a man who entered his room.

Martin does not believe the fellow was a burglar.

He thinks he was a man bent on murder or revenge.

Martin gave testimony against two notorious men named Wade and Dalton, which resulted in their being hanged for the murder of a young society man of Portland, Oregon.

Martin has noticed a man who was a member of the Wade-Dalton gang in this city during the past few days and he believes this man is seeking his life.

## SALINAS MAN IS HEARD FROM.

SALINAS, Cal., May 26.—Lester McLachlan, who disappeared from his father's ranch in New Mexico, has been heard from. A letter was received by Miss Mabel McLachlan from Trinidad, Colo., notifying her that her brother was sick there with brain fever. The Mayor of the city, who writes the letter, states that Lester has just recovered consciousness sufficient to tell his name and address. He cannot tell anything of his wanderings after leaving Lamar, N. M., 700 miles from Trinidad. Mrs. McLachlan has telegraphed to Mr. McLachlan, who will leave at once for Trinidad.

Young McLachlan was thrown from his horse a short time before his disappearance and it is supposed became affected as a result of the fall.

## BRUTALLY MURDERED HIS SWEETHEART.

ATLANTA, Ga., May 26.—Willard Dee, who shot and instantly killed Miss Little Sutes in a church at Benhill yesterday, was captured this morning near Ansel and placed in the Atlanta jail. He said he killed Miss Sutes because his love was unrequited and he wished to end the suspense.

## NO NEWS ABOUT THE PEACE PLANS.

### A. J. BALFOUR HAD NO STATEMENT TO MAKE TO THE COMMONS.

### HE WOULD NOT COMMIT HIMSELF.

LONDON, May 26.—These persons expecting a definite announcement regarding peace in South Africa were disappointed, as the government leader in the House of Commons, A. J. Balfour, declined to "make any forecast" as to when the government would be able to make a statement. Better informed people did not anticipate that the government would be in a position today to give out anything of importance in this connection, but possibly after tomorrow's cabinet meeting Mr. Balfour may be able to communicate the eagerly-awaited news.

Although Mr. Balfour declined to commit himself publicly there is no doubt whatever in government circles that a definite proclamation of peace is only a question of hours.

It was reported in the lobbies of the House of Commons today that the proclamation of peace may be followed by an abandonment of the tax on grain.

## DO NOT WANT A COMPROMISE

### J. J. HILL WILLING TO LEAVE THE DECISION WITH THE COURTS.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., May 26.—James J. Hill, who has been inspecting Burlington terminals here, left this morning for St. Paul. With reference to the Wall street report that efforts were being made looking to a compromise of the so-called merger suit, Mr. Hill said:

"There is nothing whatever in that. We are content to leave the matter for the courts to decide. We have confidence in the courts and are satisfied that the case will be fairly decided. We own the property and no one can take it from us."

## THEIR LIABILITIES ARE VERY HEAVY

LONDON, May 26.—At a meeting today of the creditors of Park, MacFadyen & Park, West Indian merchants, trading as Park, MacFadyen & Company, whose failure was made public in the Bankruptcy Court here May 12th, it was announced that the liabilities were 150,000 pounds and that the assets were estimated at 177,000 pounds.

## BUBONIC PLAQUE

MAJUNGA, Madagascar, May 26.—Nine cases of bubonic plague have been found in Majunga.

## MILLS IN SOUTH ARE STARTED

AUGUSTA, Ga., May 26.—All mills in Augusta district started this morning and, with the exception of the King Mill, every one has a full complement of hands. The King has only 42, but it is expected this number will be augmented during the day. An increase of 15 per cent. instead of 10 per cent. has been granted in some departments of the King Mill.

## WANTED TO WORK IN HIS BEST PANTS.

"Handy is the last I set up such a howl Saturday when his grandmother, Mrs. R. A. Handy, wanted him to put on overalls instead of his best clothes to work in the Union Iron Works.

The youth made such strenuous objections that the neighbors complained and he was arrested for disturbing the peace.

Handy was given a lecture by Judge Smith, who told him that if he ever came before him again he would send him to the reform school.

"You can go now," ordered the court. "Thanks to you Judge," said Mrs. Handy to the boy.

"D—n the Judge," inaudibly said the youth.

## Arrested For Raising a Row Over Wearing His Overalls.

"Handy Spencer, is that your name?" asked the police court clerk as a tough looking youth, charged with disturbing the peace, stood up in the dock today.

"Yaw, me name's Spencer Handy; I thought you'd had to give your front name last," exclaimed the youth.

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## MINING MAN ACCUSED OF A GRAVE OFFENSE.

J. D. Vandine was arrested and locked up in the City Prison today, charged with committing a heinous crime upon two little girls, Ruth Skittle, daughter of M. Skittle, a tailor residing at 115 Twenty-third street, and Laura Selgebecker, daughter of Charles M. Selgebecker, a paper hanger residing at 110 East Twenty-second street.

It is alleged that Vandine enticed the little ones into a barn in East Oakland and there committed the offense, which the girls reported to their parents, who immediately notified the police.

A stronger charge would have been placed against the scoundrel, but the children's parents fear the notoriety connected with it.

Vandine claims to be a mining man and says he is guilty of no crime, but the children have positively identified him as their assailant.

## SISTER MAKES ROUGH CHARGES.

### DECLARES THAT MARY JANS WAS UNFIT TO MAKE A WILL BECAUSE SHE WAS A DRUNKARD.

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Louise Peto of Humboldt county today filed notice in the Probate Court that she would contest the will of Mary Jans, her sister.

The notice is of a sensational character and begins what promises to be a bitterly contested legal battle for the dollars left by the dead woman, whose fortune has been variously estimated at from \$2,500 to \$75,000.

In her notice of contest the sister sets forth the following:

"That at the time of her demise and for years before and up to the time of her demise she was constantly under the influence of either whiskey, wine, beer or pure alcohol, and most of the time under the influence of all of them, and because of the constant use of said liquors her mind during all of said times was weak, debilitated and deranged. . . . At all of said times she was an associate of low and vile men and lived in squalor."

Besides these unsavory allegations there are in the notice others not of a printable nature.

Mrs. Jans left her property to four nieces and nephews, as follows: Joseph Fogel, Edward Fogel, Caroline Daiguen, Therese Fogel.

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## JOHN HAVENS TAKES BRIDE.

### FORMER OAKLAND BANKER WEDS MISS GERTRUDE GOWEY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 26.—At noon today Miss Gertrude Gowey became the bride of John Weston Havens, the bride who is one of the best known young women in local society, is the daughter of the late James M. Gowey.

The ceremony was performed at the Gowey residence, 300 Page street, at noon.

The entire lower floor of the house was a bower of roses, many trailing branches and their fragrant blossoms being used.

The bridal party stood in the bow window, which was also a mass of roses.

The bride wore a gown of white tulle over silk and carried white orchids. Her veil was fastened with a cluster of orange blossoms.

Miss Kate Dillon, the maid of honor, wore mousseline de sole over pink silk and carried a bouquet of white roses. Miss Florence Woolsey and Miss Elizabeth Price, the flower girls, were gowned in pink silk and carried baskets of tiny pink roses.

Frank B. Gowey, a brother of the bride, was best man. An elaborate wedding breakfast followed the ceremony, which was performed by the Rev. Bradford Leavitt.

The wedding journey will include a trip to Europe, after which the young couple will reside in Berkeley.

Mr. Havens is well known in Oakland. He was a teller at the Central Bank for a number of years. When the late F. K. Shattuck passed away, Mr. Havens, both prices, the flower girls, were gowned in pink silk and carried baskets of tiny pink roses.

The bridegroom is also a nephew of Mrs. M. K. Blake of Oakland.

## WON THE DERBY.

LATONIA RACE TRACK, May 26.—Liberty New wins the Derby by two lengths. South Tribune second; Martin Burke third. Time 2:28 3-4.

Annual rose display, Piedmont Springs, now at its best.

## Your money

goes the farthest with us because you pay but once for your glasses. Any changes required is made willingly and without extra charge.

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will bring thousands of good people to town. It will also attract a few reprobates. The latter come to steal your valuables. They will be sorely disappointed if you are a patron of our Safe Deposit Vaults for the black-mask fraternity fully appreciates the safety guaranteed by these burglar and fire-proof constructions.

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BROADWAY AND TWELFTH STREETS

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## London and Paris

### Cloak Co.

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IS STILL GOING ON

Saturday we could not attend to half of the customers. Everybody got big bargains, so come and secure some. You will never have an opportunity like it again.

### Tailor-Made Suits

AT ASTONISHINGLY LOW PRICES

## LATE NEWS FROM THE CITY OF ALAMEDA.

### Japanese Tells the Police That His Wife Has Been Stolen by a White Man.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—Jira Yokanumi, a Japanese residing on Park street, near Pacific avenue, reported to the police Saturday that his wife had been stolen by a white man. The police discovered that the man had been abusing his wife and she had left him and taken up her residence at 222 Eagle avenue with a white woman. The woman refused to return to her husband. She says that he abuses her and that she is too ill to stand such treatment.

### ARRESTED FOR DRUNKENNESS.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—Gus Craft and 14. Artigue were arrested yesterday for being intoxicated. They were released upon depositing \$5 each.

### FOR BALLING A JAP.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—L. Stigler was arrested yesterday on a charge of battery upon a Japanese, a Japanese, Stigler was released upon depositing \$10 bail.

### CHURCH ROBBER HELD FOR TRIAL.

The preliminary examination this morning of J. K. Doble, charged with entering and robbing the store of the California Conference Association of Seventh Day Adventists, resulted in Judge Smith holding the defendant for trial. Bail was fixed at \$1000 each for the three cases.

### WOODMEN TO ELECT OFFICERS.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—Spring camp, Woodmen of the World, will elect officers next Wednesday night and also vote on an amendment to the camp's by-laws prohibiting any special assessments.

### FISH AND GAME TALK.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—Charles A. Vogel, deputy fish commissioner, will address the California Fish Commission next Wednesday evening, giving "an informal talk on fish and game, and the work of the California Fish Commission in relation thereto."

### WILL GIVE A SMOKER.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—James Munroe Council, No. 2, Order of American Mechanics, will give a "smoker" this evening at Landerman Hall.

### NEW ORGAN COMPLETED.

ALAMEDA, May 25.—The organ built by Murray M. Hare for the First Methodist Church is now being set up. It is expected that the work will be accomplished by the end of next week.

## SAYS HE SLEAKED INTO BACK ROOM

Miss E. L. Perry Gives Her Opinion of Dr. M. E. Blanchard.

HAS OTHER THINGS TO SAY ABOUT HIM.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The trial of Dr. M. E. Blanchard, principal of the Hancock Grammar School, charged with having administered excessive corporal punishment upon the person of John Raglio, a pupil, and with having omitted to observe the rules of the board with regard to keeping a record of corporal punishment, was begun this morning before the Board of Education.

The charges relating to corporal punishment were disposed of by the board at a former meeting and in accordance with an objection by W. W. Sanderson, Blanchard's attorney, the board ruled that the cruelty charge be dropped and the investigation confined to the remaining charge.

It developed that Raglio was punished by Blanchard for general misconduct and for the time of the whipping. Blanchard, who was called before the board, testified that he had frequently played Raglio, while a pupil of the Hancock School and that on the occasion for which he was punished he had written a letter of excuse addressed to Miss E. L. Perry, his teacher, to which he signed his mother's name.

The excuse gave as a reason for Raglio's absence that some boys had taken him into a wagon against his will and had driven him about town. The boy admitted that the story was false, but said he had read the note to his mother, who was unable to write, and that she had given her consent to its presentation.

"I know I was bad," concluded the youthful offender, "but the whipper never let me run away again."

Miss E. L. Perry, who was Raglio's teacher at the time of the whipping, put on the witness stand and gave her opinion of Principal Blanchard in the following terms:

"He used to speak into my classroom by the back door," she said, "and I consider that a disgraceful proceeding. He is not a gentlemanly man."

Professor Blanchard did not explain his method of entrance into schoolrooms to the board. The board adjourned until tomorrow without reaching a decision.

### MAIL BOX LOCK MYSTERIOUSLY LOST.

Postmaster Friend has asked the police to help him find a lock to the mail box at the corner of Eighth and Jefferson streets. When the man who takes up the mail opened the box last Saturday he found the lock gone, but there was no indication that the box had been tampered with. How the lock could have been taken off without the aid of the thief is a mystery, unless it was inadvertently left unlocked. It is a felony for an unauthorized person to have the lock in his possession. If any person took the lock, he would be liable to a fine of \$100 and to imprisonment for six months.

### "OLD HOSS" SALE AT CITY HALL.

LITTLE MONEY IS SECURED BY THE CITY FOR THE GOODS.

The old-hoss sale under the auspices of the corporation yesterday afternoon at the residence of John Tipro, attracted a notable gathering of junk dealers and several others whose time hung heavily on their hands.

The stock which went "under the hammer" was an ill-assorted mass of rubbish which has been accumulating in the several departments of the city government during the past year. It was everything ranging from the love letters of Jose Althaus and Frances Hart, written while both were inmates of the city jail, to "Jim" the superannuated and condemned horse who could not be put to work any more.

At the time of going to press, "Jim" had not been put to the stand, but the proceeds had amounted to the sum of \$9.

### VISITORS FROM MANY SECTIONS.

Though the party is small, numerically speaking, the dozen excursionists today enjoying the "old day for a dollar" trip to this city, Berkeley and Hayward, under the auspices of the local board of trade, were representative of all sections of the country. The following is the list of names of the excursionists, many of whom have cameras with them and will take the photographs of the trip.

James B. Thomas, Baltimore, Md.; Mrs. J. E. Harper, Butler, Mont.; Mrs. K. A. Turley, Suite, Mont.; J. C. Lawrence, Manitou, Colo.; Mrs. N. Sprinling, Manitou, Colo.; Mrs. H. E. Rogers, Rogers Park, Chicago, Ill.; Aurilla Rounds, Chicago, Ill.; Julia C. Boatwick, Warren, Mo.; Emma O. Sanborn, West Mifflin, Pa.

### ORGANIZE TO MAKE BRICK AND STONE

Articles of incorporation of the Powell Brick and Stone Manufacturing Co. of Alameda, the capital stock of which is \$50,000, of this sum \$5 has been subscribed. The incorporators are C. L. Powell, Samuel Williams, Charles Fisher, R. E. Mori of Alameda, and A. F. Holland of Oakland.

## VINING WANTS TO SELL HIS LIBRARY.

### LIBRARIAN RECOMMENDS THAT IT BE BOUGHT FOR THE UNIVERSITY FOR \$20,000

BERKELEY, May 25.—Librarian Rowell of the University of California this afternoon made a favorable report to President Wheeler on the acquisition of the splendid library of E. P. Vining, late manager of the Market Street Railway, and it is probable the books will become the property of the State institution, if the Regents will consent to the purchase.

The Vining library would be an addition to the University of almost incalculable value. The collection contains many books which are very rare and could not be duplicated at a great cost. In all there are about 4,000 volumes bearing upon the discoveries of the explorers who sought to find a new way to India. The explorations of the Northmen, Danes and Chinese, prior to the voyage of Columbus, are fully covered in the collection. Many of the volumes date back to the sixteenth century.

The literature relative to the North American Indians is one of the most complete collections of that subject in existence. The history of the Aztecs, Mohawks and other tribes is given exhaustively, embracing all known dates. One of the real gems in the collection is a dictionary of the Aztec language, published in 1591. There are also many other books of great value. The other belongs to Mr. Vining's collection and was purchased from Emperor Maximilian's library.

The library also contains rare editions of the Bible and of the works of the fathers of the church, as well as Oriental works of almost priceless value. Mr. Vining has signified his willingness to sell the magnificent collection, as he is going East. The price which will be offered is \$20,000, is in the vicinity of \$20,000.

## BRIBERY CHARGES ARE NOW MADE.

### SAN FRANCISCO PUBLIC OFFICERS ARE ACCUSED OF TAKING SMALL SUMS OF MONEY.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—Police-man Cleveland Peters will in all probability be called before the Police Commissioners at their next meeting and asked to make a defense to a charge that he solicited a bribe of \$3 a month from Michael Guillaume.

When Guillaume was in Justice Fritz's court Saturday on a charge of vagrancy preferred by Peters the former's attorney created a sensation by asking the policeman if he had not arrested Guillaume because the latter had declined to pay tribute. Peters entered a denial, and when Guillaume was placed on the stand he declined to testify concerning the alleged bribery transaction.

Guillaume, however, was more communicative when Chief of Police Whitman sent for him and promised that any information he might give would not be used against him in court proceedings. Guillaume told a damaging story against Peters, but could not offer corroborative evidence to support it.

## SUPERINTENDENT ALCOHOL MADE HIM INSANE.

DANIEL J. ANDREWS SENT TO THE HOSPITAL FOR TREATMENT.

The police arrested Daniel J. Andrews, a number, aged 28 years, yesterday morning for insanity. Excessive use of liquor is supposed to be the cause of his mental trouble. Andrews has been living at the home of his brother-in-law, T. Leclair, who says Andrews has been in the habit of buying articles and then pawning them in order to get money to buy liquor. Andrews imagines that people are trying to kill him and that his affairs are being used to bury him, and instead of eating the food set before him he takes it out and buries it.

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## POLICEMAN IS PLACED ON TRIAL

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The trial of Policeman Leroy L. Levings for attempted blackmail in trying to obtain \$50 from Mrs. E. V. Darling as the price of his letting go free J. C. Crothers, alias F. W. McWilliams, who had been arrested on the charge of swindling M. Gunst and Co. out of \$57 worth of cigars, was begun before the Board of Police Commissioners at 3 o'clock this afternoon.

The board room at the Hall of Justice was crowded with the usual crowd of lawyers on, who were attracted by the promise of sensational developments. The full board was present when the trial began shortly after 3 o'clock. Levings was not represented by counsel, but announced the new contract, his own defense. Lieutenant Birdall preferred the formal charges.

Emma Guttsch, administratrix of the estate of Gustav Guttsch, filed her account today, showing a balance of \$78.34 after all expenses had been paid. Administratrix and attorney's fees were waived. A petition for final distribution was granted.

Judge Hall this morning handed down decision in the case of Charles W. Norcross vs. B. C. Hawes, et al., quieting title to certain lands in Lake county.

## POWDER WORKS TO BE IMPROVED

### CHANGES IN CALIFORNIA COMPANY'S PINOLE AND SANTA CRUZ PLANTS.

PINOLE, May 25.—The California Powder Company has underway large improvements at its plants at Pinole and Santa Cruz and within the next ninety days will have its large business, so systematized that a material saving will be effected not only in freight, but in general expense of manufacture as well.

Since the company began the manufacture of smokeless powder for the navy and for sporting purposes nearly all of that class of powder has been shipped from Pinole of large quantities of gun cotton at a very high rate of freight. The cartridge factory was also a part of the Santa Cruz plant and in that line as in others freight has proved a material factor.

It is now the intention to move the smokeless plants and the cartridge factory to the Pinole station and to turn over to the Santa Cruz plant the manufacture of all black powder made by the company. A new building mill is already going up at Santa Cruz and the black powder machinery is being constantly improved and enlarged. The Santa Cruz mill has also received notice that the big gun cotton warehouse at that point will be removed to Pinole within a short time. By this arrangement the company will entirely separate the low pressure black powder plant from its present close proximity to the more dangerous high explosives and the danger from explosion to both plants will be greatly minimized.

## RECEPTION FOR A CATHOLIC PRIEST.

SACRAMENTO, May 25.—The twentieth anniversary of Rev. John F. Quinn to the priesthood of the Catholic Church was celebrated in this city this morning at the Cathedral of the Blessed Sacrament. The services were of an impressive character. The altar was effectively decorated with palms, potted plants and bouquets of cut flowers. Rev. Father Quinn, the celebrant, preached the sermon to the large congregation which had assembled to honor the day.

Tonight a reception will be tendered Father Quinn in the Assembly chamber of the Capitol, in which officers of the municipal, county and State will participate.

## ALAMEDA MAN IS BADLY INJURED.

George Hill, of 115 Taylor avenue, Alameda, sustained a badly crushed ankle this morning while at work on the water front. He was engaged in moving some heavy timbers when two of them fell, catching his left foot. He was taken to the hospital where Dr. Stratton found that the ankle bones were broken and the limb painfully lacerated. He was treated and sent to his home.

## BIG BOND GIVEN IN AN ESTATE.

George F. Chevallier has filed his bond in the sum of \$50,000 as the administrator of the estate of the late Hillarie Remillard.

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## COURT NOTES.

Sheriff Rogers this morning filed notice of the appointment of Joseph Brown as a Deputy Sheriff.

Judge Ellsworth this morning admitted the will of Kate Farrar to probate and issued letters testamentary to Frederick Farrar.

Alma Walton, Will D. Gould and B. C. Bryant were this morning appointed appraisers of the estate of Barbara Childs, deceased.

Judge Ellsworth today appointed Marcia E. Spazza administratrix of the estate of Trinidad Villa.

An order confirming the sale of certain real estate of the estate of P. H. McGraw, deceased, was made by Judge Ellsworth.

Daniel Callahan, an incompetent, and Lucy Mooney, have brought suit against Samuel J. Clark, Edson F. Adams, Jacob Pantoske and others to quiet title to a lot at the corner of Franklin and Third streets, to which the plaintiffs claim full title.

Marina Guttsch, administratrix of the estate of Gustav Guttsch, filed her account today, showing a balance of \$78.34 after all expenses had been paid. Administratrix and attorney's fees were waived. A petition for final distribution was granted.

## OFFICIAL NUMBERS

### BENEFICENCIA PUBLICA.

City of Mexico, May 22, 1902.

SPECIAL NOTICE.—The public is cautioned to beware of fraudulent concerns claiming to operate lotteries in the City of Mexico or any other point in the Republic of Mexico. The company authorized to operate the Beneficencia Publica Lottery is the only one authorized and endorsed by said Government. Beware of spurious imitations and see that all tickets are signed by A. Castillo, Interventor, and C. Bassetti, Manager, as none others are genuine.

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Physical strength is derived from food. If a man has insufficient food he loses strength. If he has no food he dies. Food is converted into nutrition in the stomach. It depends on the strength of the stomach to what extent food eaten is digested and assimilated. People can die of starvation who have abundant food to eat, when the stomach and its associate organs of digestion and nutrition do not perform their duty. Thus the stomach is really the vital organ of the body. If the stomach is "weak" the body will be weak also, because it is upon the stomach the body relies for its strength. And as the body considered as a whole is made up of its several members and organs, so the weakness of the body as a consequence of "weak" stomach will be distributed among the organs which compose the body. If the body is weak because it is ill-nourished that physical weakness will be found in back and knees, in hands and feet equally. So also will the weakness be equally distributed among the organs, heart, liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., being proportionately weak according to the amount of the reduction of their daily

ration of nutrition.

If then no man is stronger than his stomach and physical strength is created in the stomach and distributed from it, the very first question that a weak man should ask is, "What is wrong with my stomach?" If there are weak lungs, the condition also points to "weak" stomach. All physicians know that the cure of consumption is but a question of nutrition. If you can put flesh and fat on the body the lungs will take care of themselves. The one thing which baffles the physician in the cure of lung and other diseases is "weak" stomach. If the stomach was strong he'd feel sure of a cure. In fact, then, any condition of physical weakness at once suggests weak stomach. When the stomach is made strong, the whole body regains strength and every organ of the body, heart, liver, lungs, kidneys, etc., shares in this newly gained strength.

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"For several years I had been under the care of doctors and they would help me for a time, but I could not get entirely well," writes Miss Della M. Sherry, of Willsborough, N. Y. "I was weak and nervous and did not sleep well at night. Last winter, in December, I was taken very ill and had to call a doctor, who said I had heart trouble. A friend advised me to take Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, which I did, and the first bottle did me so much good that I took three bottles and I feel like a new woman now. I can eat anything I like without any distress and can sleep well. I also feel quite strong. Words cannot describe my gratitude. You may use this testimonial as you like."

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## OAKLAND WINS TWO MORE FROM SENATORS.

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If Lohman's team can win every weekday game and turn the trick twice on Sunday, the most exciting fan who ever shouted from the bleachers will have no cause to grumble. It is the sample of the national pastime that the Oaklanders are playing these days that makes the sport popular, and this fact is evidenced by the largely increasing crowds that journey to Golden Gate Baseball Park every Wed-

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nesday afternoon and Sunday morning. Nine to six in favor of Oakland was the score at the morning game yesterday. In the afternoon, in one of the fastest games ever played in San Francisco, five thousand people saw the Senators get their second beating. This time the official score's tally sheet gave the figures 2-1. Cristall pitched for Oakland, and he had with him speed, control and twister-galore. He was only hit by two batters during the entire game. The midges manged however to make three singles, which brought in three runs. Out of their two hits in the first inning the Senators only sent one man across the rubber. In the morning game the new pitcher, Fisher, occupied the box for Sacramento, and the Oaklanders secured eight safeties in the fourth, netting them seven runs. Schmidt, who pitched for Oakland, grew wild in the seventh and retired in favor of Brick Devereaux. The score:

OAKLAND.	AB.	R.	B.	H.	SB.	PO.	A.	E.
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Hulen, 2. b.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Sheehan, 3. b.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
McCreedy, 1. b.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Graham, c.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Bone, r. f.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fisher, p.	4	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	6	6	0	0	0	0	0

Thomas, p. .... 3 0 0 0 0 4 0  
Totals ..... 3 1 2 0 24 15  
RUNS AND HITS BY INNINGS.  
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9  
Oakland ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Base hits ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Sacramento ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
Base hits ..... 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0  
SUMMARY.  
Sacrifice hits—Hulen, Cristall. First base on errors—Oakland 1, Sacramento 1. First base on called balls—Oakland 5, Sacramento 2. Left on bases—Oakland 5, Sacramento 2. Struck out—Cristall by Thomas 1, time of game—41 hour and 15 minutes. In the morning game the new pitcher, Fisher, occupied the box for Sacramento, and the Oaklanders secured eight safeties in the fourth, netting them seven runs. Schmidt, who pitched for Oakland, grew wild in the seventh and retired in favor of Brick Devereaux. The score:

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Schmidt, 4. Hit by pitcher—Mohler, Devereaux. Double plays—Doyle to Sheehan, Mohler to Devereaux, Strick to Francis, Sheehan to Doyle. Time of game—1 hour and 55 minutes. Umpire—McDonald. At Los Angeles the local team took two of the three games from the San Francisco club yesterday. The morning game was a ten-inning affair, and the final came near ending in case of one more umpire mobbed. The Los Angeles fans were displeased with a decision given by O'Donnell. They rushed out to the pitcher's box and despite the fact that the umpire was under police protection, they managed to get reversing himself. The score's figures were 2 to 2, but O'Donnell gave the game to the Angels in the afternoon. The whole show. He lined out a home run, two two-baggers and covered the left field in grand style. The score: Los Angeles 5, San Francisco 0.

### COLORADO BALL GAME WINDS UP IN RIOT

NEGRO HAS A QUARREL WITH A WHITE MAN AND IS NEARLY LYNCHED.

FLORENCE, Colo., May 25.—A riot occurred after a base ball game here this afternoon which nearly resulted in the lynching of a negro named Jason Wilson. After the game between the Colorado Fuel and Iron team and the Florence Eagles, Wilson, who was driving in a buggy, tried to pass every one on the crowded road. He ran into the buggy occupied by Omie Carroll, a local gambler, and the wheels of the two vehicles became locked. Angry words followed, and the two men got out of their buggies and began to fight. The crowd closed around them and began beating and kicking the negro. A half-dozen officers rescued Wilson, but they had to draw their revolvers to stand off the crowd.

### RACING ON THE SAN LEANDRO TRIANGLE

A. T. SMITH DEFEATS A. R. WILLIAMSON IN THE ONE MILE CONTEST.

A. T. Smith defeated A. R. Williamson in the one-mile race held by the Oakland Wheelmen at San Leandro yesterday. The race was for the Mauerer cup to be contested for by the Oakland wheelmen only. The time was 2:31 4-5.

After the Mauerer cup race the fifty-mile relay race between the California Cycling Club and New Century Club was held.

The course was around the triangle at San Leandro and five men from each organization were entered.

The California cyclists won by one minute and thirty-five seconds, making the fifty miles in two hours, three minutes and ten seconds. The New Century Club was two hours, four minutes and forty-five and three-fifths.

The men who rode and their time is as follows:

First relay, Prosek, C. C. C., time, 25:43-5; Shaw, N. C. C., time, 25:27.

Second relay, Bones, C. C. C., 24:11-25; Putnam, N. C. C., 24:11-25.

Third relay, Prosek, C. C. C., 24:11-25; Bernebach, N. C. C., 24:11-25.

Fourth relay, Hitchcock, C. C. C., 24:11-25; Greengard, N. C. C., 24:11-25.

Fifth relay, Pfeifer, C. C. C., 23:55-25; Balot, N. C. C., 24:10-25.

Pfeifer, C. C. C., made the best time, 23:55-25. Greengard, N. C. C., and Greengard, N. C. C., the most plucky ride.

When the wheelmen returned to Oakland they were received at the club house by the Oakland wheelmen and, after resting, the three clubs had their pictures taken in a group.

The relay was the first race conducted under the management of the new racing board and was much to the entire satisfaction of both clubs.

On Sunday, June 1st, the Oakland wheelmen will take a blind ride out the San Pablo road.

**FIGHTERS GO TO TRAINING QUARTERS**

JEFFRIES AND FITZSIMMONS WILL PREPARE FOR THE BIG BATTLE.

From the present time until they meet in the roped arena, James Jeffries and Robert Fitzsimmons will devote their best energies to accomplishing perfect physical condition for their combat to take place in the city of Los Angeles, says the Examiner. Early this morning Jeffries will leave for Harbin Springs to commence training. His departure will not be ostentatious, for he will go practically alone, Billy Delaney having preceded him to the springs with the bulk of his baggage. The champion spent nearly all yesterday in this city among his friends. In the evening he visited the theatre and afterward at Harry Corbett's he met Joe Kennedy in a late preliminary talk to the probabilities of the latter joining him at the springs for the purpose of assisting in his training.

During the evening Jeff tried his hand at ping pong and after a few attempts at bridge he retired to his quarters, where he will rest until tomorrow, when the new game to be defeated every novice who came to measure skill with him.

Fitzsimmons and his party arrived at Skeggs Springs last Saturday, where they commenced their training. The former champion is about to commence his routine of conditioning work. The first day in new quarters was spent leisurely and for the most part was devoted to preparing plans for the perfecting of his gymnasium. Fitz is greatly pleased with the locality that he has chosen for training, where he anticipates all the pleasures of a summer outing instead of hard work.

Nothing was heard yesterday from big "Doc" Armstrong, and for the present each of the pugilists will depend on the services of Jack Jeffries and Tom Wilson for sparring partners.

### NIGHT WAS HORROR

"I would cough nearly all night long," writes Mrs. Chas. Applegate of Alexandria, Ind., "and could hardly get any sleep. I had consumption so bad that if I walked a block I would cough frightfully. I tried all kinds of medicine, but nothing failed, these \$1.00 bottles of Dr. King's New Discovery really cured me. I gained 25 lbs. weight. It is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds, La Grippe, Bronchitis and all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50c and 75c. Trial bottles free at Osceola Bros. drug store, corner Seventh and Broadway."

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# BERKELEY BOYS MADE RECORD IN THE EAST.

## Why the Great Plaw Was Defeated Interesting News Gathered in the College Town.

BERKELEY, May 25.—The California team won its match with Princeton and Joy has settled over the college town. Although the Blue and Gold won the stakes, the Princeton boys were not without a few surprises. The great Plaw, the athletic rock, on which the hopes of California were built, was beaten. Not only once but twice. In the hammer throw Plaw's work is capable of explanation. The seven foot circle was located on a grassy plot, which required the thrower to take a long run. The hammer was thrown from the center of the circle. Plaw's throw was not a record, but it was a very good one. The Princeton boys were not without a few surprises. The great Plaw, the athletic rock, on which the hopes of California were built, was beaten. Not only once but twice. In the hammer throw Plaw's work is capable of explanation. The seven foot circle was located on a grassy plot, which required the thrower to take a long run. The hammer was thrown from the center of the circle. Plaw's throw was not a record, but it was a very good one.

Still it is with regard to Berkeley's record that the news of so many contests is heard. Saturday evening, as announced, owing to the non-arrival of office furniture. Postmaster Schmit says he will occupy the new quarters tomorrow, and will be ready to distribute mail on Wednesday.

NEW SECRETARY FOR Y. M. C. A. IS APPOINTED.

BERKELEY, May 25.—I. B. Rhoda has been elected general secretary of the Young Men's Christian Association in place of F. E. Goodsell. The new secretary will give his entire time to the work of the association. His predecessor was required to devote only three-fourths of his time.

Mr. Goodsell leaves for the East where he will take up the study of theology.

Mr. Rhoda is a native of Berkeley and has been a member of the association for many years. He is a graduate of the University of California and is now a student in the divinity school of the University of Chicago.

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# WE CELEBRATE DECORATION DAY.

## Veterans' League of Haywards to Hold Impressive Ceremonies.

HAYWARDS, May 25.—Next Friday the Veterans' League of Haywards will observe Decoration Day and will dedicate its plot at Lone Tree Cemetery. The ceremony will include the unfurling of a handsome new flag on a pole that has recently been erected on the plot. A parade will leave Haywards at 10 o'clock in the morning. The members of the League and the friends will drive to the cemetery, where the following exercises will be rendered: "America," boys' chorus; recitation, "Lincoln's Speech at Gettysburg," Miss Quinn; "Star Spangled Banner," boys' chorus; address, Rev. G. W. Lyons, D. D.; dedicatory prayer, "Flag Without Stain," male quartet, Messrs. Buck, Morrill, Yeager and Axtell; benediction, Eugene and Redding teams come such.

The next game will be played at Vancouver.

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## Time Lost at This Season Means Increased Suffering, Perhaps Death.

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#### King's Daughters Working For New Home For Incurables.

Tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock the doors of the King's Daughters' rummage sale will swing open for business and crowds of people will go to see the bargains displayed. Every woman must see the complete at the start—shirt waists, millinery, men's clothes, children's clothes, women's dresses, veils, lace and gloves, candy and pressed plants.

All day today the King's Daughters and their dozens of voluntary assistants were working like Trojans, sorting goods, numbering, pricing and folding garments. Never have the articles offered been so good in quality—so really valuable. There have been so many rummage sales that housewives have stripped their homes of really worthless and worn-out garments.

Now, in order to satisfy their charitable instincts, these women must send away for another season's wear, garments that were destined to be turned, sold or required to go to the rummage sale instead and the buyers reap the benefit. There is a special demand for good quality—so really valuable. There have been so many rummage sales that housewives have stripped their homes of really worthless and worn-out garments.

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Taffeta Silk Dress Skirts	trimmed with applique-drop skirt, worth \$15.00. Sale price.....	\$9.00
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Taffeta Silk Skirts	Beautifully trimmed with Chenille, worth \$20.00. Sale price.....	\$13.50
Peau de Soie Silk Skirts	With fancy trimmed flounce, worth \$20.00. Sale price.....	\$13.50
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Remember the skirts that we offer represent the cream of the best manufacture in the United States and you have your choice from the largest collection in Alameda county to select from.

SOMETHING NEW. Unlined Taffeta Silk Walking Skirts. With Circular flounce, all stitched. Special during this sale..... \$9.00

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This is Mr. Drew's tenth season under Mr. Frohman's management and it will be his third annual visit to this coast. The popular star comes with a play in hand, according to the unanimous and enthusiastic verdict of Manhattan-theatergoers.

Several important matters will be discussed besides the election of officers for the next term, which was postponed from the last meeting. The State Superintendent will be present and make the final announcements concerning the first district alliance, which meets on the succeeding Friday in the Free Baptist Church on Twenty-first street. Oakland Alliance will be asked to take hold of the luncheon which will be served at 4 o'clock to the visiting delegates. The following program will be rendered: Address, "How Shall We Reach the Masses?" recitation, "In Politics," address, "The Lawlessness of the Liquor Traffic," recitation, "The House That Jack Built," address, "The Abolition Party," announcements by the National Chairman and the State chairman.

### CARLOS EZETA TAKES THE PAUPER'S OATH

Don Carlos Ezeta, one time President of San Salvador and the possessor of millions of dollars, is before a justice of the Peace Daniels in San Francisco Saturday on an order of examination to show cause why he did not pay a \$500 liability. Ezeta and his wife were both indicted in the suit, and when both took the oath they were discharged.

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## NOTICE TO VOTERS

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## REGISTRATION

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Office of the County Clerk,  
Alameda County, Cal.

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NOTICE IS HEREBY

**Given that in accordance with the provisions of Chapter 53 Statutes of 1899, all voters of Alameda County must apply**

for re-registration in order to be able to vote at the General Election in November, as every name on Great Register was cancelled January 1st.

Owing to the fact that there is no provision of law providing assistance for the Clerk to register

**voters, IT IS IMPORTANT  
THAT VOTERS SHOULD AP-  
PLY FOR REGISTRATION AT  
ONCE IN ORDER TO EXPE-  
DITE THE WORK.**

Such re-registration began on the 1st day of January, and will be in progress at all times until forty days preceding the

In order to facilitate the work of re-registration, attention is called to the provisions of Section 1097, which reads as follows:

1. Upon the production and filing of a certified copy of the judgment of the Superior Court directing such entry to be made.

tion, or upon his affidavit that it is less than one year, or out of his possession, which affidavit must state the place of his nativity and the time and place of his naturalization together with his affidavit that he has resided in the United States for five years, and in this State for one year next preceding the time of application; and that he would be an elector of this county at the next succeeding election; provided, however, if such naturalization

citizen shall have been previously registered as a qualified elector in any of the counties, or cities and counties of this State, his name must not be entered by the Clerk unless he produces a certificate of such registration, issued by the party authorized by law to issue such certificate, which certificate shall be prima facie evidence of his naturalization.

his affidavit that he became a citizen of the United States by virtue of the naturalization of his father while he was residing in the United States, and under the age of twenty-one years, and that he is or would be an elector of the county at the next ensuing election.

4. In other cases, upon the affidavit of the party that he is or will be an elector of the county at the next succeeding election.

Further notice is hereby given that Affidavits of Registration must be sworn to before the County Clerk or his deputies.

and that they can not owing to the provisions of the new Registration Law, be sworn to before any other officer.

The office of the County Clerk will be, until further notice, open for registration from Nine A. M. until Five P. M. each day.

**FRANK C. JORDAN,**  
County Clerk, Alameda  
County.  
Dated February 10, 1902  
(Seal.)

**Probate Notice.**

In the Superior Court of the county of Alameda, State of California.  
In the matter of the estate of **Kat Farrar**, deceased.  
Notice of time set for proving will, etc.  
Notice is hereby given, that a petiti-

for the probate of the will of Kate Farrar, deceased, and for the issuance of Fred'k W. Farrar of letters testamentary thereon has been filed in this Court and that Monday, the 25th day of May, A. D. 1917, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courtroom of Department No. 4 of said Court, at the Court House in the city of Oakland, in said county of Alameda, has been set for the hearing of said petition and proving said

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Canned apples  
Cheaper than fresh fruit—  
reg'ly 15c—24 lb can 2 for 25c  
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room—reg'ly 25c—40c pint 35c  
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Van Houten—reg'ly 95c lb—1lb  
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Italy—reg'ly 60c quart bottle 50c  
Whisky  
McBrayer—Cedar Brook—  
reg'ly \$1.50 bottle \$6 gallon 4.50  
Rye whisky  
Guckenheimer—reg'ly \$1.45 full  
quart—to years old 1.15  
Burgundy  
Howell Mt.—rich fruity red wine—  
reg'ly \$1 gallon 65c  
Port wine  
California private stock—health  
tonic—reg'ly 75c bottle—\$2.50  
gallon \$2  
Ginger ale  
Also sarsaparilla—popular  
summer drinks—each  
sparking—reg'ly \$1.25 dozen \$1.10  
Talcum powder  
Colgate—purified—slightly  
astringent—reg'ly 20c can 15c  
Glycerine-balm  
Soothing to skin irritations—  
reg'ly 30c bottle—good for  
sunburn 25c  
Sinkstrainer  
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## CRAIN DAMAGED IN THE COUNTRY

SUNOL, May 26.—Great damage has been done in the country surrounding Sunol by the heavy winds during the past two or three weeks. Growing grain has been blown down and entangled so badly that farmers will suffer a loss of many thousands of dollars. The late rains had caused the grain to grow very rapidly, and it was unusually high when the winds came. Not in many years, land owners about Sunol say, has the result been so disastrous. Farmers are greatly discouraged.

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# SUPERVISORS TURN DOWN LIQUOR LICENSES

Charles Tepper Cannot Sell Liquor at Fruitvale—No Saloon for Leona Heights Hotel.

The Board of Supervisors this morning denied the application of Captain Charles Tepper for a license to conduct a saloon at Fruitvale in the resort known as "Tepper's Garden."

When the matter was brought up Mitchell moved that the application be denied and the motion was seconded by Tolson. A vote was then taken and the application was denied by the following vote:

Ayes—Mitchell, Horner, Tolson, Howe—4.  
Nays—Church—1.

Tepper's license was recently revoked and since then he has made several efforts to get it back.

A protest against the application, signed by fifty residents of Upper Fruitvale, was presented. The protest was on the grounds "that an additional place where liquor can be obtained is not necessary; that it will be a menace to the good morals of this section, and injurious to property values."

The board also called attention to the fact that the place had been closed ten months ago because the proprietor had violated the law.

ANOTHER SALOON DENIED.

A communication was read from Arthur Rice asking the Board to reconsider its action in denying him a license to conduct a saloon at Leona Heights. Rice declared that he had served twenty years in the United States marine corps, having been honorably discharged as sergeant-major on account of disability and he promised that the saloon would be properly conducted. He said he had taken the premises for a year with the understanding that a license could be obtained.

"If Mr. Rice has bought the place with any such understanding, he has been unwise," said Tolson. "In my recollection there has never been a saloon there, and every time there has been an application there has been a vigorous protest. Besides, Rice's application did not have a sufficient number of signatures."

"Would you grant the license or move to reconsider if there were enough signatures?" asked Horner.

"I shall never vote for a saloon at Leona Heights," replied Tolson. "This place is surrounded by the property of the Realty Syndicate, and that corporation has a hotel there which has always been a place where liquor is sold."

## MRS. BURTON BURIED FROM ST. JOHN'S

The funeral of the late Mrs. Kate Burton was held from Brown's undertaking parlors this morning at 11 o'clock. The funeral services were conducted by the Rev. Martin N. Ray, rector of St. John's Episcopal Church, and were most impressive.

Many of the dead woman's friends were present to pay tribute to one they loved and many were the beautiful floral pieces sent by sorrowing friends.

The remains were interred in Mount View Cemetery.

Deceased was a native of Wisconsin and 44 years of age.

Mrs. Burton died in Marquette Valley last Saturday under circumstances calling for a coroner's inquest.

The verdict returned was that deceased had died from an overdose of quinine, which she had taken for an illness.

Some Views of Africans on the Clothes the White Men Give to Them.

"They tell in West Africa of a fine old fellow, a convert to Islam, who came into one of the settlements of Sierra Leone one day with his son, which both were astonished by the appearance of a civilized man arrayed in a swallow-tail coat, a tall silk hat and a standing collar. Turning to his son, the astonished old man said:

"Look here, boy, if you ever forget Islam and become Nasara (Christian) you may come to look like that."

Every now and then lantern slides are shown in our churches and Sunday-schools of the boys and girls at mission stations in tropical Africa. They are dressed in the same American boys and girls wear in a far cooler climate. Somehow the little things in their accustomed garb do not look comfortable.

The New Africa, published in Liberia, said recently that among the natives of the interior one of the most effective arguments against Christianity is the European dress. The educated blacks in West Africa are beginning to protest against the practice of introducing European clothing among the natives.

The Weekly News of Sierra Leone recently asserted that the habits of many of the young women along the coast was being impaired on account of the notion they had imbibed that it is pretty to have a small waist. The

writer assures the women that they cannot expect to escape the perils of child-birth if they persist in tight lacing. He adds:

"In terms of our aboriginal women are beautiful. Many of them have in shape the classic statues that are seen in European picture galleries. The shape of our aboriginal sisters who have no perils of child-birth."

Another article in the same newspaper says: "The girls of our country every 1,000 children born in Freetown 400 die within the first year of their existence. The paper attributes this great mortality largely to the practice of tight lacing among the women who wear European clothing."

OVER THE SHARA BY BALLOON.

French Aeronauts Planning to Send an Automatic Airship Across the Desert.

The project of crossing the Sahara Desert by balloon is being seriously debated by French aeronauts. M. Des Debarreaux believes it practicable to make the passage from Tunis to the Niger by utilizing the northeasterly winds which prevail in that region and with Count Castillon de Saint Victor.

In the balloon is an interior, air-bag which will keep it in shape in spite of the leakage of gas. It is estimated that with the aid of this the balloon would stay in the air at least twelve days. The northeasterly winds prevail over the central Sahara almost constantly between April and October, and the wind would travel at the rate of at least twelve miles an hour.

In case the balloon should be wrecked it is calculated that it would be picked up by some of the nomads of the desert who would be sure to follow such a phenomenon so that news of its mishap would quickly reach civilization.

Baked Her Watch in a Mince Pie.

There is one young matron of Hartford who will no longer wear her watch when she goes into the kitchen to bake pie. The baking of pie is the only portion of the culinary work she does, and she does this because her husband says it tastes like that "matron used to make."

Among the wedding presents of this young matron was a handsome watch which she thought so much of that she wore it on all occasions.

She decided to bake a pie last Saturday. It went well until a short time after the pie was placed in the oven, when she discovered that her watch was missing from her chain in which it usually hung on her dress. She hunted all through the house, but could not find it. The husband returned home and he was told of the mishap. The wife became convinced that some one had stolen the watch and she could not be consoled.

"Nice pie," "like mother used to make," was brought on for dessert at dinner yesterday and a generous portion of the baked watch was served. He looked at it and then asked his wife:

"What kind of pie do you call this my dear?"

"Mince pie, of course," replied the wife.

"Well, I should call it watch pie," remarked the husband as he produced the missing watch from the interior of the pie.

As this is an account of what actually happened it would not do to say that the watch was still ticking time. It was time and the jeweler's bill of repairs of the baked watch was quite considerable.

The young matron's plan—Hartford, Conn.

Reginald Vanderbilt has made himself famous, anyhow, he is the only Vanderbilt the world has ever known who was "easy."

# ASSULTS UPON THE GOVERNOR

The Sacramento Record-Union of Sunday, May 25th, prints the following editorial in rebuke of the gross personal attacks recently made on Governor Gage:

As the time approaches when conventions will be held to nominate candidates for State offices there appears to be a general opening of hostilities on Governor Gage by his political enemies. Some newspapers are developing such a malignant and vindictive disposition that they are more likely to aid the Governor's cause than to injure, for the people of California believe in fair play. The Record-Union knows nothing and cares less for the personal and political embitterments existing between the Governor of the State and the politicians and newspapers that are opposing his ambition to succeed himself, but in common with all lovers of justice and adherents to journalistic respectability, it enters a protest against the methods now in use by some of its contemporaries.

Assaults upon the Governor have become more and more violent of late, and even a charge of theft has been made against him, a charge in which his honored wife is made an accomplice by unmistakable inference if not by direct and open charge. The people of the State of California will refuse to believe this charge. It will be received, not merely with charitable skepticism, but with indignation. The Governor has no reason, able justification for the course being pursued by some of the newspapers. The public need not be taken into the confidence of those who entertain toward each other sentiments of personal hostility. The exposure of such sentiment is in the nature of a disturbance of the public peace, and the exposure of such sentiment is in the nature of a disturbance of the public peace.

The Record-Union has no desire to interfere in the personal or political quarrels of other individuals or newspapers, but there is a degree of respect due to the Governor of the State and to the people of the State. The Governor of the State is a candidate for re-election, and it is his right to aspire to succeed himself. We have not examined the charges made by those who have denounced his political opponents, or have subjected him to personal assaults simply because of their political antagonism to the aspirations of the Governor. The Governor of the State is a candidate for re-election, and it is his right to aspire to succeed himself. We have not examined the charges made by those who have denounced his political opponents, or have subjected him to personal assaults simply because of their political antagonism to the aspirations of the Governor.

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# WANTS TO ROOM THE COUNTY.

Secretary of the Board of Trade Asks For Fruit Exhibits.

Strenuous efforts are again being made by the local Board of Trade to secure exhibits of all the products of Alameda county. The new rooms of the board are admirably adapted to exhibiting an exceptionally good exhibit and Alameda county can, if her citizens take an interest in the matter make a far better showing than does Los Angeles county in the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles. Today letters were mailed to all the presidents of Boards of Trade in the county and to postmasters where no Board of Trade exists.

The secretary in the local board is cognizant with the formulas for putting up exhibits for exhibition purposes and it only remains with the people of Alameda county to furnish the products for exhibition purposes. The following is a copy of the letter mailed today:

"Dear Sir:—Your community will never have better opportunity of advertising itself by means of its products than during the coming month. From June 15th to June 21st, the 'Elks' will have a street fair in Oakland to which it is expected 15,000 persons will be in attendance. At this time the 'Elks' will hold a convention in San Francisco, and thousands are expected to visit Oakland during that time. A little later the 'Knights of Pythias' of the United States will hold their annual convocation in San Francisco, and one day will be devoted to Alameda county."

"The Oakland Board of Trade is desirous of having as complete an exhibit of the products of Alameda county as can be obtained. A little effort on the part of citizens of your community to forward at once samples of all products of your section will certainly repay you a thousand fold."

"As the rooms of the Oakland Board of Trade are the enclosure of the Street Fair thousands will visit our headquarters during that time."

"Will you kindly see such parties as may be in a position to send in fresh produce and manufactures, in fact, all products that we wish to put up such fruits immediately, and see that we get these products of Alameda county."

## SCHOOL CHILDREN TO SING AMERICA

The following communication has been issued by the Superintendent of Schools to the teachers of the Grammar Schools:

To the Principals and Teachers of the Grammar Schools:—

The County Board of Schools, in cooperation of Director Gray, Chairman of the Classification Committee, you will receive orders for May for the singing of the song, 'America' on Saturday morning, May 24th, by the singing of 'America' and such other patriotic songs as the pupils are able to sing. These exercises are to be held in the various schools as part of the Memorial day services.

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# A MONEY MAKING AD.

Is What We Want! To the Ladies of the West:

We invite you to compose this ad. for us. There will be three prizes. The best ad. will be published. We want you to write a strong, true, clever statement of the main circumstances of our great Money-Raising Sale now in progress. You may visit our Big Store to find the facts and figures of this monster Furniture Force Sale. And for the benefit of intending competitors living outside the city we furnish the following information.

## THE STORY OF IT!

Eighty-five thousand dollars' worth of the Finest Furniture, Upholstered Goods, Sets, Odd Pieces, Carpets and Draperies ever purchased for this coast was bought by us to fill our Branch House in Oakland. Our architect promised to have the new store ready by June 1st. We bought to that date. The Furniture came, and the architect now tells us he cannot make ready for us until late in August. The result is we find ourselves with \$85,000 worth of unpaid Furniture on our hands. We can't keep it. It must be sold. Our misfortune is the public's profit—hence the MONEY-RAISING SALE—a sweep at sixty cents on the dollar and less. It is for you, fair readers, to write for us an ad. that will bring cleverly and convincingly before the public mind the truth and value of this sacrifice.

## THE PRIZES:

For the best Ad. we offer any article of furniture or furnishings in our establishment to the value of \$25.00. For the next Ad. we offer a similar choice to the value of \$15.00. For the third Ad. we offer as a consolation prize a five-dollar gold piece.

## THE CONDITIONS

FIRST—All ads. must be written on a sheet of paper in size 6x8 inches, which will be the exact publication size of the ad.

SECOND—At the bottom of each ad. name and residence of competitor must be placed. Address: ADVERTISING DEPT., PATTON'S, 16th and Mission Streets.

THIRD—Either written or designed ads. will be considered—cleverness and originality being the points of chief moment in the decision.

FOURTH—All competitors must be so mailed, sent or handed in as to reach us by noon of Friday, the 26th inst. The first prize ad. and announcement of award will be published in the Tribune the Monday following.

## DEFENSE BY THE RAILROAD.

Mother Signed a Document Exhibiting Resources to Waiving All Claim For Damages.

SAN FRANCISCO, May 25.—The answer of the Southern Pacific Company in the suit brought by Mrs. Katherine F. Lisdell for damages for the death of her son, Harry Rice, has been filed in the Superior Court. Young Rice, who was employed by the company, was fatally injured on November 9, 1901, on Townsend street while working as a locomotive pilot. The company's answer sets up as a defense the following agreement, made on September 14, 1901, at Oakland:

"Whereas, Harry Rice, a minor of the age of 19 years, is desirous of employment in the service of the Southern Pacific Company as a student yardman, I, Katherine Florence Lisdell, mother of said minor, well knowing the hazards of such employment, do, in consideration of some money, hereby agree and consent that the wages that may from time to time become the said minor shall be paid to him in full satisfaction for his services and in case of injury occurring to said minor while in the above capacity or in the performance of any other duties in any other department of the railway service of said company, whether due to negligence of any person or otherwise, I hereby release said company and its lessees and lessors from all liability therefor."

## COUNTRY HOME FOR LITTLE CRIPPLES

The Tay Memorial Home at Elmhurst is now ready for the convalescents from the Children's Hospital in San Francisco. Unless some unforeseen circumstances arise, the first consignment of little cripples will be taken over this week.

Some of the small sufferers named to go among the first were at Elmhurst last summer and are counting the restless days until they again see the green fields and have the joy of being out of doors from breakfast until supper time.

## YOUNG WOMAN DIES SUDDENLY

Miss Mary Jacinto, aged 25 years, was suddenly taken ill Saturday afternoon at the home of Manuel Ferrer at Mission San Jose, and died before 11 o'clock. She was a physician could be summoned. A sudden attack of heart failure is supposed to have been the cause of death, as the young woman had been suffering from indigestion and apparently in good health. The coroner will hold an inquest today.

## CARMICHAEL HOME IS DESTROYED BY FIRE.

A fire broke out in the basement of the residence of A. L. Carmichael, 1315 West street, at noon yesterday, and before the flames could be extinguished by the Fire Department the residence was almost destroyed.

The cause of the fire is not known. The family was eating dinner when smoke was noticed issuing from the basement by some of the neighbors, who immediately notified the Fire Department. The damage done amounted to about \$50,000, of which \$25,000 was covered by insurance.

## Philadelphia Girls Charged With Smoking and Drinking.

"There is altogether too much cigarette smoking and liquor drinking done nowadays by young girls in the best classes of Philadelphia society," the Rev. Dr. Floyd W. Tomkins, rector of Holy Trinity Episcopal Church, which numbers among its communicants some of the most fashionable people in town, made this charge the other day at a meeting of the Social Purity Alliance. From the Philadelphia Times.

## IMPOSSIBLE.

"Let's have a George Washington party."

"What